

TENNESSEE GENERAL ASSEMBLY
FISCAL REVIEW COMMITTEE



FISCAL NOTE

SB 309 - HB 536

December 17, 2015

SUMMARY OF BILL: Decreases, from a Class B to a Class C misdemeanor, the punishment applicable to any person found to practice medicine or surgery in Tennessee without having first complied with licensure and other prerequisite requirements.

ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:

NOT SIGNIFICANT

Assumptions:

- Based on information provided by the Administrative Office of the Courts, there have been no convictions for this particular offense for the past five years.
- There will not be a sufficient number of prosecutions for state or local government to experience any significant change in revenue or expenditures.

IMPACT TO COMMERCE:

NOT SIGNIFICANT

Assumption:

- Reducing the misdemeanor penalty for persons found to practice medicine or surgery in Tennessee without first being properly licensed is estimated to have no significant impact upon businesses located in Tennessee.

CERTIFICATION:

The information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Krista M. Lee".

Krista M. Lee, Executive Director

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